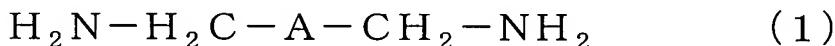


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) An epoxy resin curing agent which comprises a polyamino compound obtained by addition reaction of aliphatic diamine represented by the formula (1) and styrene with the reaction molar ratio of 1:1, and a curing accelerator comprising an organic compound having at least one carboxyl group and at least one hydroxyl group within the molecule,

wherein said polyamino compound contains less than 2% by weight of unreacted aliphatic diamine represented by the formula (1):



wherein A is a phenylene group or a cyclohexylene group.

2. (Original) The epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 1, wherein said organic compound is an aromatic compound having the carbon number of 7 to 12.

3. (Original) The epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 1, wherein said organic compound is salicylic acid.

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Cancelled)

7. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin composition comprising epoxy resin and the epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 1.

8. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin composition comprising epoxy resin and the epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 2.

9. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin composition comprising epoxy resin and the epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 3.

10. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin composition comprising epoxy resin and the epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 4.

11. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin composition comprising epoxy resin and the epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 5.

12. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin composition comprising epoxy resin and the epoxy resin curing agent according to Claim 6.

13. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin cured product obtained by curing the epoxy resin composition according to Claim 7.

14. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin cured product obtained by curing the epoxy resin composition according to Claim 8.

15. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin cured product obtained by curing the epoxy resin composition according to Claim 9.

16. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin cured product obtained by curing the epoxy resin composition according to Claim 10.

17. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin cured product obtained by curing the epoxy resin composition according to Claim 11.

18. (Withdrawn) An epoxy resin cured product obtained by curing the epoxy resin composition according to Claim 12.